

## (FY 2010) PIA: System Identification

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Program or System Name: [REGION 4 > VHA > VISN 04 > Philadelphia VAMC > VistA - VMS](#)

OMB Unique System / Application / Program

Identifier (AKA: UPID #): 029-00-01-11-01-1180-00  
The Philadelphia Healthcare  
Systems (VAPHS) VistA-  
Legacy system is the  
software platform and  
hardware infrastructure  
(associated with clinical  
operations) on which the  
VHA health care facilities  
operate their software  
applications and support for  
E-government initiatives. It  
includes the computer  
equipment associated with  
clinical operations and the  
employees necessary  
to operate the system. VistA-  
Legacy is a client-server  
system. It links the facility  
computer network to over  
100 applications and  
databases across the  
nation. It supports 5  
Community Based  
Outpatient Clinics. VistA  
provides critical data that  
supports the delivery of  
healthcare to veterans and

Description of System / Application / Program: their dependants. The VistA

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Date of Last PIA Approved by VACO Privacy

Services: (MM/YYYY) 08/2008

Date Approval To Operate Expires: 08/2011

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What specific legal authorities authorize this program or system:	Title 38, United States Code, section 7301(a).
What is the expected number of individuals that will have their PII stored in this system:	All Veterans
Identify what stage the System / Application / Program is at:	Operations/Maintenance
The approximate date (MM/YYYY) the system will be operational (if in the Design or Development stage), or the approximate number of years the system/application/program has been in operation.	Fully operational for approximately 20 + years.
Is there an authorized change control process which documents any changes to existing applications or systems?	Yes
If No, please explain:	
Has a PIA been completed within the last three years?	Yes

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Date of Report (MM/YYYY): 01/2010

**Please check the appropriate boxes and continue to the next TAB and complete the remaining questions on this form.**

- ☐ Have any changes been made to the system since the last PIA?
- ☐ Is this a PIV system/application/program collecting PII data from Federal employees, contractors, or others performing work for the VA?
- ☒ Will this system/application/program retrieve information on the basis of name, unique identifier, symbol, or other PII data?
- ☒ Does this system/application/program collect, store or disseminate PII/PHI data?
- ☒ Does this system/application/program collect, store or disseminate the SSN?

**If there is no Personally Identifiable Information on your system , please skip to TAB 12. ( See Comment for Definition of PII)**